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Case 7258X

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Frankenbach et al. ::  
Serial No.: 09/554,969 :: Group Art Unit: 1751  
Filed: May 23, 2000 :: Examiner: Hardee, J.  
Confirmation No. 1835 ::

For: CLEAR OR TRANSLUCENT AQUEOUS FABRIC  
SOFTENER COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING HIGH  
ELECTROLYTE CONTENT AND OPTIONAL PHASE  
STABILIZER

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 22, 2001, the time for response being extended by three months pursuant to the fee charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account in the papers submitted herewith, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE APPLICATION

In the Claims

Please amend claim 1, 26 and 39 to read as follows:

1. (Amended) Clear, or translucent liquid fabric softener composition comprising:
  - A. from about 2% to about 80% by weight of the composition of fabric softener;
  - B. at least an effective level of principal solvent having a ClogP of from about -2.0 to about 2.6 to provide a clear or translucent composition;
  - C. from about 0.5 % to about 10% by weight of the composition of electrolyte;
  - D. optionally, from 0% to about 15% by weight of the composition of phase stabilizer selected from the group consisting of: